

**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**  
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**WASHINGTON DC 20554**

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APPLICATION STATUS: (202) 418-2730  
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Tennessee Valley Translator Association  
P. O. Box 810  
Crossville, TN 38557

In re: W270BI, Lantana, TN  
BPFT-20110830AEJ  
Facility ID # 142683

Petition for Reconsideration

Dear Applicant:

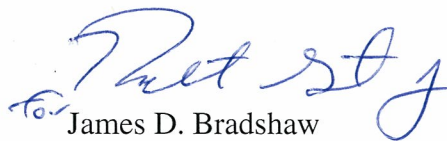
This refers to: (1) the above-captioned application dismissed on October 20, 2011 and (2) the October 20, 2011 petition for reconsideration and a minor amendment to the dismissed application. For the reason stated below, the petition for reconsideration will be denied.

By letter dated October 20, 2011, the staff dismissed the application for violating 47 C.F.R. § 74.1204(a) with respect to WJSQ(FM), Athens, TN (BLH-19910813KB) and WWST(FM), Sevierville, TN (BLH-19860519KF). On October 20, 2011, the applicant filed a petition for reconsideration and a minor amendment requesting reinstatement of the application nunc pro tunc.

The applicant indicated that the amended directional antenna pattern will eliminate the overlap between the proposed translator, WJSQ(FM) and WWST(FM). Our further review of the amendment has created a different violation. The application is a violation of 47 C.F.R. § 74.1233(a)(1). Specifically, the Section states that "a major change is... any change in antenna location where the station would not continue to provide 1 mV/m service to some portion of its previously authorized 1 mV/m service area." The proposed service area would not continue to provide service to some portion BLFT-20070917ADK service area. Because major change applications are not being accepted for filing, the amendment is unacceptable for filing and we will dismiss the petition for reconsideration.

Accordingly, the amendment is unacceptable and IS HEREBY DISMISSED and the petition for reconsideration filed on October 20, 2011 by Tennessee Valley Translator Association IS HEREBY DENIED.<sup>1</sup> Please note that if the applicant desires to pursue this proposal, it may submit a new application.

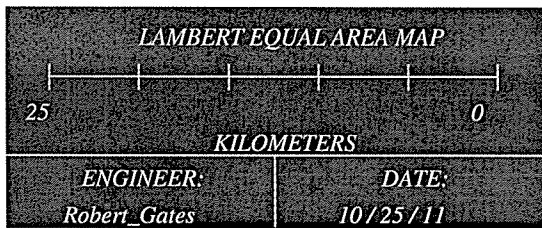
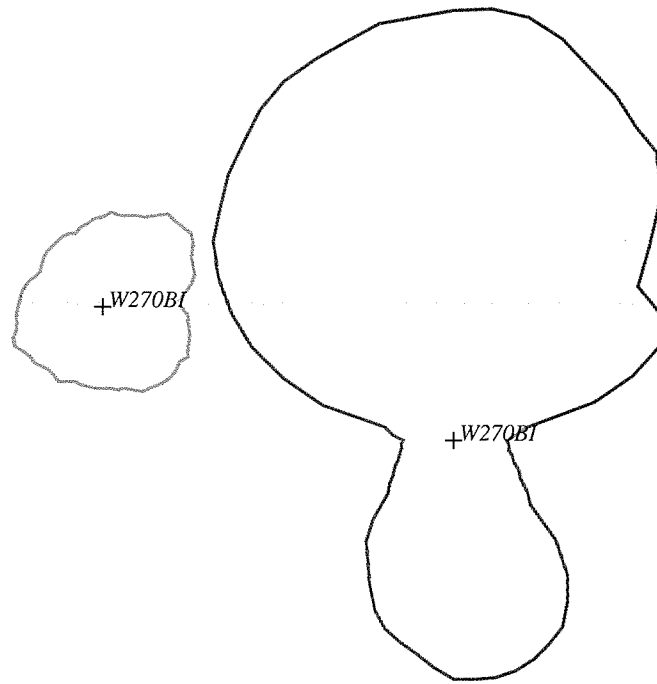
Sincerely,



James D. Bradshaw  
Deputy Chief  
Audio Division  
Media Bureau

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<sup>1</sup> Please note that an application dismissed a second time for any reason may not again be reinstated nunc pro tunc.



THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF THE DATA WHICH APPEARS ON THE ABOVE MAP

BOTTOM LATITUDE: 35.67 TOP LATITUDE: 36.29 LEFT LONGITUDE: -85.29 RIGHT LONGITUDE: -84.49

MAP: ENLARGED CONUS MAP PROJECTION: Lambert Equal-area CENTER LAT: 35.98 LONG: -84.89 GRID SPACING: 0.50

KILOMETERS / INCH = 11.17

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call	serv	city,state	application no.	contour	chan	erp	haat	rcamsl	coverage area	A1
W270BI	FX	CROSSVILLE,TN	BPFT-20110830AEJ	60.0 dBu (50,50)	270D	0.250	345.1	859.0	605.9 sq km	0
W270BI	FX	LANTANA,TN	BLFT-20070917ADK	60.0 dBu (50,50)	270D	0.010	74.8	623.0	80.5 sq km	0

No topographic data is available for this location.

A1 - Number of radials where free space equation was used for field strength calculations.

A7 - Number of radials where a HAAT less than 30 meters was adjusted to 30 meters.